



**PATENT**

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**FINAL DECLARATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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To the Commissioner:

The inventor declares (1) that he is the inventor named in the above-referenced application; (2) that he has read the claims allowed in the above-referenced application; and (3) that the subject matter of said claims was part of the original invention.

The undersigned inventor declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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